

# Hawaiian Gazette.

U. S. WEATHER BUREAU, June 10.—Last 24 Hours' Rainfall, trace.  
Temperature, Max. 79; Min. 70. Weather, sultry.

SUGAR.—96 Degree Test Centrifugals, 3.92c. Per Ton, \$78.40.  
88 Analysis Beets, 10s. 6 1/4d. Per Ton, \$84.40.

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## STRIKE LEADERS SPEND NIGHT BEHIND OAHU PRISON BARS

Eleven Arrested by High Sheriff for Investigation, Including Makino, Negoro and Soga--- Habeas Corpus Proceedings --- Plantation Situation Quiet.

The three leading spirits of the strike slept behind the bars of Oahu prison last night—Makino, Negoro and Soga, the last named being the editor of the Nippu Jiji, the organ of the strikers. No charge has been formally laid against these men, their arrest being made on the order of High Sheriff Henry in order to hold them for investigation. Chester Doyle, who holds a special commission under the High Sheriff, made the actual arrests, being accompanied on the rounds by the High Sheriff and Deputy Warden Wood.

In addition to these three arch-conspirators, K. Kamura, one of the assistant editors of the Jiji; M. Yamashiro, proprietor of the Yamashiro hotel, on Beretania avenue; and many of the employees of the Jiji office were also arrested and are being held for investigation.

As soon as the news of the arrests reached Attorney Lightfoot, who is representing the strikers, he took steps to take out a writ of habeas corpus for Makino, Negoro, Soga and Kamura. The arrests were made at ten minutes to four; by half past four the writ had been secured from Judge De Bolt and copies of it served on the High Sheriff and on the Deputy Sheriff. The writ is made returnable this morning at nine o'clock to Judge Robinson.

The full list of those under arrest is: Chisoga, Y. Tasaka, G. Negoro, K. Makino, M. Yamashiro, K. Kawamura, Okumura, K. Takemura, K. Kawamoto, N. Thura and Y. Imai.

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## PLANTERS' PAYMASTER IS SHORT OF SILVER

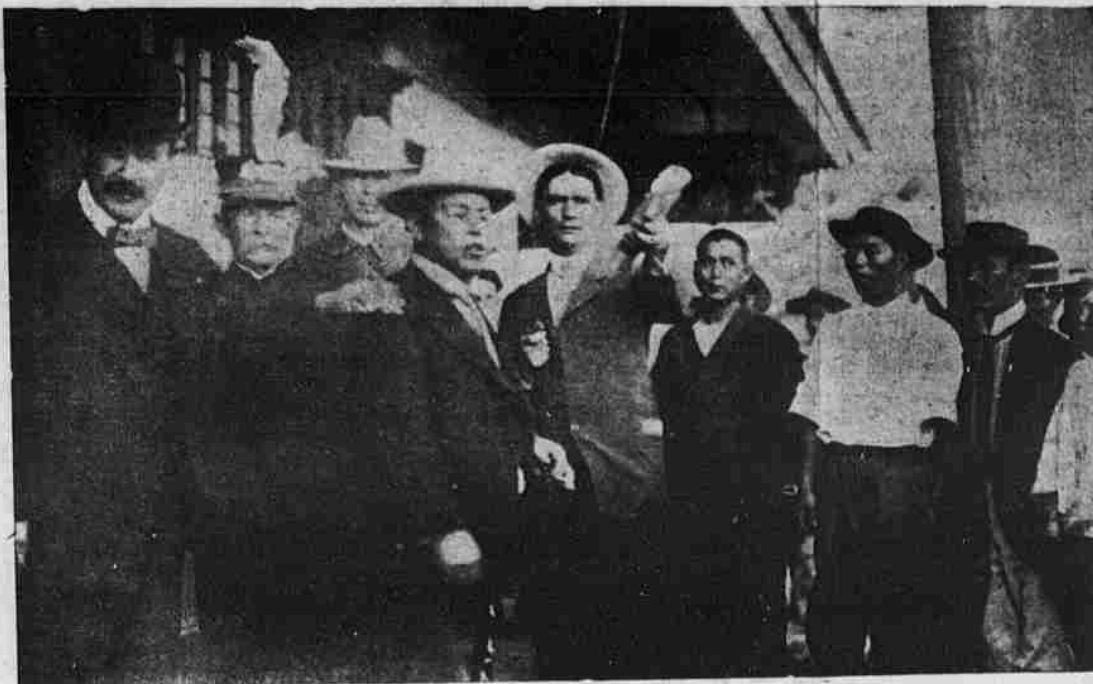
Silver is running low in town for some reason or other, and unless the bank stores of that commodity mount up today and tomorrow forenoon the Planters will not have enough coin for the Saturday wage of strike-breakers. What they ask is that people with a surplus of silver coin on hand will take it to the banks and exchange it for gold. Otherwise some of the strike-breakers may find only I. O. U.'s at the Saturday evening pay counter.

## COMMENCEMENT OF OAHU COLLEGE STARTS SUNDAY

The class of 1909 at Oahu College have a full program for the exercises of commencement week. Beginning next Sunday and ending one week from the following Monday, the events which are of so much significance to the members will close this class's school career.

On Sunday evening at Central Union church Rev. Amos A. Ebersole will deliver the sermon to the graduating classes of both the college and the preparatory school. Special music will be furnished by the college glee clubs. From Monday to Wednesday the regular school examinations will be held. Thursday morning, in Chas. R. Bishop hall, the preparatory school will hold its graduating exercises. A class of about fifty will receive diplomas. Thursday evening the college class will hold its class day on the lawn in

High Sheriff Henry,  
Chester Doyle, Deputy Warden Wood.



YAMASHIRO, UNDER ARREST, BEING ESCORTED TO AN AUTOMOBILE, EN ROUTE TO JAIL.

## OBSERVATORY AT KILAUEA BRINK

Prof. Jaggar Points Out the  
Unique Possibility for  
Science.

To establish beside the crater of Kilauea an observatory, fitted up with delicate instruments with which to record the phenomena from day to day of that vent-hole for the interior fires of the earth, manned with a corps of trained scientists to record the daily doings at the threshold of Madame Pele's domain, visited by the scientists of the world studying the causes and the effects, is the hope of Professor Thomas A. Jaggar Jr., Professor of Geology in the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, who addressed the members of the Chamber of Commerce and their invited guests in the room of the Chamber yesterday afternoon.

Bringing the light of pure science to bear upon the question of volcanoes and earthquakes may, probably will, result in enough accurate knowledge being acquired to enable scientists elsewhere to foretell the coming of such disasters as have killed three hundred thousand persons since the beginning of the century, over one hundred persons each day for the past eight years. To acquire this knowledge, the phenomena prior to the eruption of volcanoes and prior to the coming of the earthquake must be studied. It is many times more important to know what occurs for the months, weeks and days before one of these great disasters than to know what occurred at the time and afterwards, because it is upon the knowledge gained of what precedes an earthquake and an eruption that the prophecies of what are to come must be based.

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## WILL LIFE'S ORIGIN BE FOUND IN KILAUEA'S FIRES?

"Through the work of an observatory and a trained corps of men at the crater of Kilauea, we may succeed in discovering the origin of life," stated Professor Jaggar, in the course of his remarks yesterday before the Chamber of Commerce.

Following his address, he was asked to elaborate on this startling statement for the Advertiser. He said, in part:

"That is a theory of mine, concerning which I have written nothing as yet. Lord Kelvin's theory is that life came to this world from space, the life bearing spore of bacteria being forced here from the outside. The theory is that life could be pushed here, propelled by the force of the sunlight from some other planet, where it originated. But, these spores are organized beings, containing hydrogen, carbon, oxygen and nitrogen, four atoms. Organization involves history. The theory that life originated elsewhere and was pushed to this world does not explain anything of the origin. How did it originate elsewhere?"

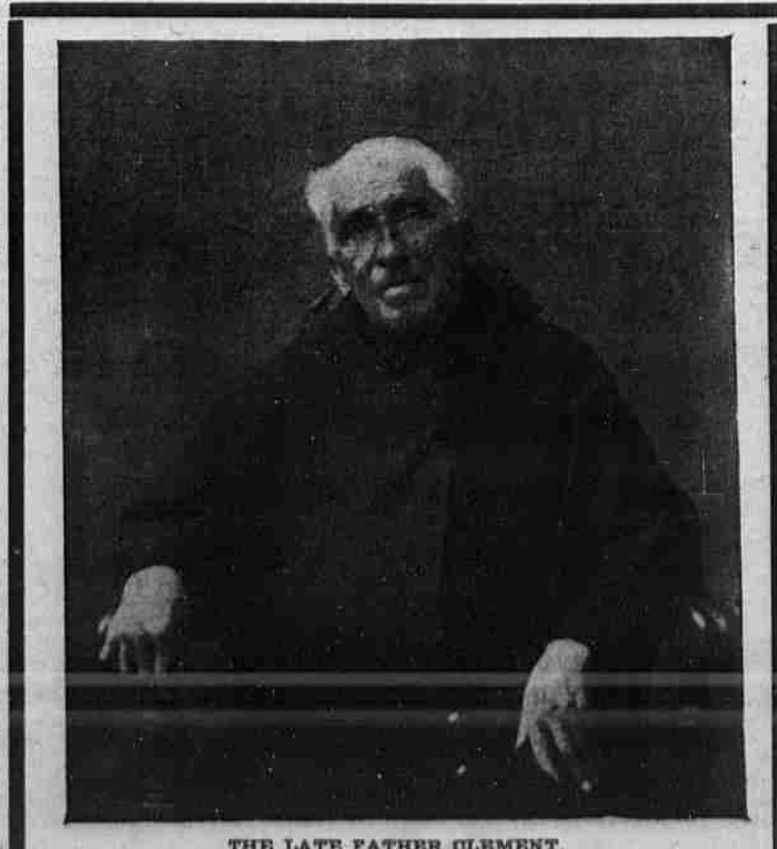
"The old idea of spontaneous origin is exploded. The idea once entertained that a piece of meat exposed would develop flies is passed. We

know that every fly came from an egg, besides a fly is a highly developed being.

"We know that there are algae capable of withstanding a very low temperature and a very high temperature. We find them in the hottest places, these very lowest types of animal organisms. They thrive in the hot springs of the Yellowstone and of New Zealand—green or yellow scum you would call them. We examine them microscopically, but what is there beyond the reach of the microscope? Is it not possible that what we call phenomena, or motion, is in reality life originating? The lowest form of life we find where the earth is hottest. Is it not as probable that life originated when the world was molten and that beyond the reach of the microscope life is yet originating in those spots of the earth surface where the temperatures are the highest, such as at Kilauea?"

"A study of the phenomena may lead us to some wonderful discoveries along this line. The world is on the brink of some such discoveries. The experiments with the radium, the formations of organisms that much resemble life leads me to believe so. We may discover the origin of life in the fires of Kilauea."

## FATHER CLEMENT ANSWERED HIS LAST CALL YESTERDAY



THE LATE FATHER CLEMENT.

Father Clement, for many years a familiar and much-loved figure in Honolulu, passed away early yesterday morning at the Catholic Mission. He has been in failing health for some time.

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## LATIN LABORERS FROM HERE MAKE COMPLAINTS TO THE AUTHORITIES

(Associated Press Cablegrams.)

SAN FRANCISCO, June 11.—The immigration authorities will investigate the destitution of two hundred Spaniards and Porto Ricans who have arrived here from Hawaii. They allege that they were lured there by false promises and were made to work fourteen hours per day.

NEW YORK, June 8.—Announcement was made today that the Southern Pacific Railroad Company intends to retire all of its preferred stock.

SEATTLE, Wash., June 8.—The Hawaiian building with its complete exhibit was thrown open to the public today and was the center of interest of the great crowds that are flocking to the exposition. The display made by the Hawaiians was very highly commended.

PHILADELPHIA, June 8.—The American-Hawaiian Steamship Company has contracted for the construction of three new steamers of nine thousand tons and to cost a million and a quarter.

CONSTANTINOPLE, June 9.—The cabinet has approved the sentence of death of twelve Moslems and five Armenians, for complicity in the Adana massacre.

NEW YORK, June 9.—The \$30,000,000 suit of the Pennsylvania Refining Company against the American Refining Company has been settled out of court. The terms are not made public.

VALPARAISO, June 9.—An earthquake is reported from Copiapo, where the walls of houses were cracked. No lives were lost.

MEMPHIS, Tennessee, June 9.—Twenty people were prostrated by the least yesterday and two are dying. The victims were attending a Confederate reunion.

KNIGHT'S LANDING, California, June 9.—Four women were drowned last night by the overturning of an automobile.

WASHINGTON, June 9.—The Senate has restored the figures of the Dingley tariff on the rates in relation to imported wool waste.

COLUMBUS, Ohio, June 9.—Several Italians have been placed under arrest in this city on a charge of being leaders in the Black Hand Society.

LOUISVILLE, Kentucky, June 9.—George L. Street has been elected Imperial Potentate of the Shriners in the annual conclave being held in this city.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 9.—Francis J. Heney, who has acted as the chief attorney in the graft prosecution, will run for district attorney.

PADANG, Sumatra, June 9.—The town of Korinchi, located about 185 miles from here, was destroyed by an earthquake, which took place on the night of June 3. Two hundred were killed and many injured. A tidal wave occurred, sweeping away the huts of the natives and causing a great amount of damage.

LONDON, June 10.—Sir Edward Grey, Foreign Secretary, in an address to the members of the Imperial Press Congress, warned the delegates that Great Britain must endeavor to be agreeable in her dealings with the other nations at the present time owing to the weakness of her navy.

LONDON, June 10.—A syndicate composed of English and American capitalists has been formed to float a loan of twenty-seven and a half million dollars to finance the Hankow railroad in China.

PHILADELPHIA, June 10.—Stanley Ketchell knocked out Jack O'Brien in the third round of what was scheduled to be a six-round go here last night. The fight was a whirlwind affair from the opening.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 10.—Mr. Heney announces that the prosecution in the Calhoun case will rest today.

NEW YORK, June 10.—An alleged plot has been discovered here for the overthrow of President Gomez of Venezuela by adherents of ex-President Castro.

BOSTON, June 10.—Edward Everett Hale, chaplain of the United States Senate, died here today.

NEW YORK, June 10.—The Spanish ship Antonio Lopez is ashore on Fire Island. The 526 passengers on board have been rescued.

WASHINGTON, June 10.—President Taft today presented the Wright brothers of aeroplane fame with the medals struck off in their honor by the Aero Club of America.

MEMPHIS, Tennessee, June 10.—General Fred Grant, son of General Ulysses S. Grant, today reviewed a parade of ten thousand Confederate veterans assembled in this city.

NEW YORK, June 10.—The Federal grand jury is investigating the methods by which the American Sugar Refining Company—the Trust—acquired control of the Pennsylvania Refining Company.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 10.—General James Smith, Governor-General of the Philippines, arrived here today and was greeted with marked display of the good will of the people of the city. A cavalry escort was given him from the steamer to his hotel, and his return had some of the phases of a triumphal entry.

WASHINGTON, June 11.—A move has been made in the Senate to form a coalition of progressive Republicans and Democrats to pass an income tax bill. It is proposed to reduce the scale from two to three cents on the hundred.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 11.—The prosecution in the graft cases has closed.

## DARK HORSE CANDIDATE FOR LOCAL POSTMASTERSHIP

(Special Cable to the Advertiser.)

WASHINGTON, June 10.—A candidate, name unobtainable, has applied for the Honolulu Postmastership, now filled by J. G. Pratt. Postmaster-General Hitchcock may favor him.

WALKER.